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Ladies' Restaurant for Haile Club Members, Second Floor, facing Main street.  
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Dinner—12 to 2—at fixed price—20 cents Ladies' Restaurant; 25 cents Open House Club restaurant.  
Supper—6 to 7—a la carte.  
The Popular Wednesday Evening Dinners have been resumed—6 to 8 o'clock.  
WEDNESDAY, DEC. 8, 1909.  
DINNER—50c.  
POTAGE AU FOIE GRAS  
STUFFED SQUASH  
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NOW IS THE TIME TO ORDER YOUR

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Chocolate Bon Bons in sealed packages, pounds and half pounds, at  
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The dental business established by my brother, whose assistant I was for many years, will be continued by me, assisted by Dr. V. D. Eldred.  
It will be a pleasure to see the former customers of my brother and as many new ones as will favor me with their patronage. Extracting 25c and up.  
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### CHANGE IN ADDRESS.

DR. N. GILBERT GRAY,  
formerly at Hodge's Stable, is now located in rear of No. 4 Franklin square. Tel. 574. may19d

There is no advertising medium in this paper for business results.

## The Bulletin

Norwich, Wednesday, Dec. 8, 1909.

### VARIOUS MATTERS

"Benedict Arnold" at Breed theater, of peculiar local interest.—adv.

Today's downpour meant good dollars to the farmers and mill men.

The shortest days of the year are approaching, a few minutes over nine hours.

Extra clerks for the holiday rush are being added to the forces in the stores.

Farmers who have butterfat to sell this season are getting good prices for them.

Several merchants are utilizing Red Cross stamps as features of their window decorating scheme.

Norwich guests were present at the meeting of Moxley Lodge, K. of P., at Mystic, Monday evening.

Swiss residents of the state have been celebrating the 602d anniversary of the independence of Switzerland.

Afternoon tea at Mahrey's, 3 to 6; every day. Just what you have wanted for a long time. The price—25c. Try one today.—adv.

Daniel Cranston picked pretty nannies at the East Great Plain on December 4, which shows how exceptional winter opened in 1909.

Books recently added to the shelves of the Peck library are W. C. Gilman's "Mystic of the East," and Daniel Wadsworth Colt.

Children in the suburbs are gathering Christmas greens to be made into wreaths and roping, as a means of securing holiday spending money.

"Benedict Arnold," motion picture at Breed, Mon, Tues., and Wed.—adv.

The Apostleship of Prayer in the Catholic churches has for its December intention, for which daily petition is offered, "the spiritual welfare of soldiers."

In building operations of the past year Norwich would have the rest of the state sit up and take notice. Hats off to the Rose, may she never lag.—New London Telegraph.

Washington-Sunset route to California—Tourist sleeping car four times weekly without change. Personally conducted. Berth, \$3.50. 170-223 Washington street, Boston.—adv.

Beckwith's Almanac for 1910, which is number 63 of the series, has been issued. It is published by George Beckwith's granddaughter, Annie Ewell Russell, of New Haven, and contains the usual valuable statistics and information.

Rev. W. F. Newton has returned to New London with Mrs. Newton from Putnam, where they have been laboring in the church of which Rev. J. R. Stubbart is pastor. They will go to North Stonington soon in the interests of the State Baptist convention.

Remember the union mass meeting at Trinity Methodist church tonight. Dr. Howe will speak. Spooner choral union will sing.—adv.

Childs Hassam, one of the best known artists in the Lyme artists' colony, has sold his famous painting, "Church at Old Lyme," to the Buffalo Museum of Fine Arts. This is one of the finest Connecticut paintings produced in years.

Connecticut teachers are receiving notices of the recommendation of Prof. William E. Steaher, director of physical education in the schools of Philadelphia, in favor of knapsacks, to prevent pupils becoming lopsided by carrying schoolbooks constantly on one side.

Don't fail to see "Benedict Arnold," motion picture at Breed theater.—adv.

Holyoke papers state that Mrs. Sara Pratt Decker of Denver, Col., who is sister of Mrs. W. H. Brooks and Mrs. Theodore Kingland, is more and more mentioned as a probable candidate for congress, the first woman to run. She is former president of the National Federation of Women's Clubs.

E. Hart Geer, secretary of the commission of fisheries and game, and his sister, Mrs. W. H. Brooks, have issued this season's good for hunting rabbits with a dog and ferret until January 1, December 31 being the last day the license is good. After January 1 a new license will be required and accordingly a new form of blanks will be furnished in time for issue the first of January.

### PRACTICAL INFORMATION.

An Answer to the Question Which Everybody is Asking.

What to buy?  
That is the question of the hour! Everybody wishes to choose gifts suitable, pleasing, and above all, within his means.  
As an aid to intending purchasers, time, attention, brains have been devoted to answering this haunting query: "What shall I choose?"  
Study any reversing column of The Bulletin today, and the question will be answered most satisfactorily. Lists of gifts, suggestions of presents suitable for men, women and children are given, prices are quoted, every aid is offered.

Take The Bulletin's columns of crisp, fresh, new year ads, as your guide, and you cannot shop amiss.

STATE PROHIBITION SPOKER.  
E. A. Smith Will Conduct Several Meetings Next Sunday.

Ernest Allison Smith of this city, who represents the prohibition executive committee of Connecticut, has arranged for several meetings in this vicinity next Sunday, when he will speak the topic being a practical discussion of the saloon problem. The following is his programme:  
Sunday, December 12, in Jewett City M. E. church, 10:45 a. m. special music; subject, The Price of Victory. Rev. George D. Stanley, pastor.  
Sunday afternoon, Volunstown M. E. church, Rev. George D. Stanley, Jewett City, pastor.  
Sunday evening, Bethel M. E. church, town of Griswold, near Glasgow, Rev. Frank Chamberlain, pastor.

### On Grand Jury.

Serving on the grand jury at the December term of the district court of the United States at Hartford are Alonzo E. Aborn of this city, George K. Anderson of Windham and Oscar D. Baker and Charles D. Chum of Ashford.

### PERSONAL

The Saugerties, N. Y., Post says: Mrs. S. W. Bertine of Ulster avenue has as her guest her sister, Miss Martha A. Ward of Norwich, Conn.

Mrs. Ida Shepley Bailey of Springfield, Mass., is the guest of Prof. J. Herbert George and family on Hamilton street. By many of the residents of Norwich, Mrs. Bailey will be remembered as the charming plaintiff in the comic opera, Trial by Jury, put on here a number of years ago by the chorus union under the direction of Major B. P. Learned.

### CONGREGATIONAL MINISTERS MEET AT NEW LONDON.

Vote Unanimously to Meet With Episcopal Clergymen in February—Two Papers Read.

The New London county association of Congregational ministers held a regular meeting Tuesday with Rev. J. W. Brier, D. D., at the Second Congregational church in New London, the morning session beginning at 11 o'clock. Rev. Charles H. Ricketts of Norwich was chosen moderator. It was voted unanimously and with enthusiasm to act upon the suggestion of the Episcopal clergymen to plan for a union meeting with the clergies of that body early in February.

Two essays were presented, both of which were technical and scholarly. The first was presented by Rev. H. T. Arnold of this city, whose subject was "Some Thoughts on Faith." The second was by Rev. J. O. Barrows of Stonington on "Some Suggestions on the Opening Chapters of Genesis." Both papers were thoroughly discussed.

The following persons were present: Revs. E. S. Worcester, H. T. Arnold, D. E. MacLennan, C. H. Ricketts of Norwich, J. W. Brier, J. R. Danforth of J. R. Danforth of Groton, Cathcart of Westerly, H. A. Beadle of Franklin, J. W. Knapp of Norwich, F. A. Holden of Preston, J. O. Barrows of Stonington, Rowell of New London and Watson of Greenfield, Mass.

An excellent repast was served by the ladies of the Second church.

### OBITUARY.

Alonzo B. Davis.

At the Backus hospital at 11 o'clock Monday night occurred the death of Alonzo Bedford Davis after an illness of the past six or eight months with dropsy.  
Mr. Davis was born in Corning, N. Y., July 9, 1852, the son of Alonzo Bloomfield and Callista Herrick Davis. He was married to this city when he was an infant and since then he has made his home here most of the time. He learned the machinist's trade at C. B. Rogers' shop, where he worked many years, as well as at other local shops and for Merrow & Sons in Hartford. He has not been in good health for the past twenty years. He belonged to no organization, but was a member from Glastonbury, died twenty-three years ago, by his mother, Mrs. A. B. Davis, with whom he lived, and a brother, Herbert A. Davis, of Providence.

Mrs. A. A. Edmonds.

The death of Mrs. Arville A. Edmonds occurred suddenly at Manchester, N. H., on Tuesday morning. She was born at East Ware, Mass., and spent all her life in that place and in Manchester. She was a sister of the late George and Triestram Cilley of this city and is survived by the following relatives in this city: Mrs. Triestram Cilley, Mrs. Harriet C. Bishop, William A. and Frank Cilley.

### GILBERT TRANSPORTATION CO.

More Receiver's Certificates Authorized—Captain Gilbert's Plans.  
By Judge Platt of the circuit court an order has been passed in the case of the Gilbert Transportation company of Mystic authorizing the receiver, Frank Butterworth, to issue 10,000 additional receiver's certificates, 40,000 having already been issued.

The resignation of Captain Mark L. Gilbert as president and general manager of the Gilbert Transportation company of Mystic and his withdrawal from connection with the company, does not mean the captain's retirement from the coastwise trade. Captain Gilbert on Tuesday re-entered the transportation business, laying the foundation for a new company in the purchase of a coasting schooner.

The schooner which Captain Gilbert has acquired is the J. V. Wellington. It is a three master of 600 tons.

### GOING TO CONGRESS.

Three Delegates from Board of Trade Will Be in Washington Today for National Harbors and Rivers Convention.

President F. W. Cary, E. A. Tracy and W. B. Young will arrive in Washington today for the attendance of the annual harbors and rivers congress which will be in session there for three days. They are delegates of the local board of trade, which is a member of the congress. It promises to be the largest waterways assemblage ever held in the country.

### Light Cases of Scarlet Fever.

Charles Eugene, the oldest son of Rev. and Mrs. F. C. Wright, has a light case of scarlet fever, and is quarantined with his mother at their home on Slater avenue. Rev. Mr. Wright's church work will not be interrupted, as he is staying at the home of Mrs. Frank A. Roath on Washington street. The other two children of the family are with Mrs. Frank A. Foster on Otis street.

### PREVENTION OF RHEUMATISM

Every case of rheumatism can be traced back to bad blood as the beginning of the trouble, but every case of rheumatism can be cured in the same way by getting the blood right with the free use of SMITH'S LITTLE LIVER PILLS, followed by a thorough treatment with A. D. S. RHEUMATIC REMEDY—two great system cleaners which have a specific action—eliminating all excess of uric acid from the blood and driving out every trace of rheumatism.

A 20c package of Pills and a 50c bottle of Remedy will prove to you your goodness. Give them the chance and be the gainer.

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The Drug Man,

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## EDICT AGAINST A FEEBLE MAN

Jury Gave Plaintiff Hewitt \$482.46—Motion to Have Verdict Set Aside will be Heard by Judge Waller Today.

The entire day in the court of common pleas was taken up with the arguments in the case of B. H. Hewitt vs. Lafayette F. Main of North Stonington, the evidence in which case was heard last week. Although Mr. Main stated he thought he could get his argument in an hour, and Attorney Hull wanted but a few minutes, the entire day was gone when the case was cleared up. The jury considered the matter a little over an hour and returned with a verdict of \$482.46 for the plaintiff, in a suit for about \$600.

There was much interest in the session and a number of lawyers attended to hear the layman make his argument. The opening argument was made by Attorney A. A. Hull, who reviewed the facts in the case briefly. Mr. Main then addressed the jury in an interesting manner and called the attention of the jury throughout the two hours which he occupied in setting forth his claims. He observed well the rules and punctuated his address with gesticulations. He referred to the way his cases had been conducted and to the agreements which he had made and the fact that he had not been given credit for certain payments. Part of his argument he had written, while there were documents which he used to refresh his memory and prompt him in his address. He occupied the remainder of the morning session.

At the opening of court in the afternoon Attorney Hull made the closing argument, after which Judge Waller charged the jury, telling them that Mr. Main had a perfect right to conduct his own case and it should not be held against him, nor should his testimony be discredited because of the past. He gave them instructions if they found an agreement had or had not been made, and also regarding the check with the words, "Paid in Full," in red ink. After being given the case and the papers for consideration, the jury retired at ten minutes to three and reported at 4:30 through Foreman L. Eugene Bill of North Stonington that a verdict had been reached for the plaintiff to recover the sum of \$482.46.

Just as Judge Waller had notified Sheriff Brown to adjourn the court, Mr. Main stated that he desired to give notice of a motion to set aside the verdict as being against the evidence. This motion he at once started to file and it was decided that the judge would hear him this morning at 9:30, or later in the day while the jury is out. Attorney Hull stated that he didn't think he cared to be heard upon the matter.

On Tuesday morning it was decided that the case of W. O. Wheeler vs. Caleb Haley should be heard here December 14.

Court was adjourned until this morning at ten o'clock when the case of Seneca vs. the Putnam Furniture Co. will be heard.

For Christmas packages going through the mail Postmaster Caruthers gives some valuable suggestions as follows:  
All mail matter should be so wrapped as to safely bear transmission without breaking. Second, third and fourth class matter must be so wrapped that the contents may be examined easily by postal officials.

Address.  
Mail matter should be addressed legibly and completely. The name of the addressee, the postoffice and the state or territory must be given. If the addressee resides in a city having free delivery, the house number and street, if known, should be given. To insure return in case of non-delivery, because of misdirection, insufficient payment of postage and any other cause, the sender's name and address should be written or printed in the upper left hand corner of the envelope or wrapper, preceded by the word "Return to."

Postage stamps should be placed on the upper right hand corner of the address side of all mail matter, care being taken that they are securely affixed.

Inclusions.  
With a package of merchandise of fourth class matter, prepaid at the rate for that class, the sender may enclose any matter of the third class (printed matter, etc.).

A single card bearing the written name of the sender and such inscription as a "Merry Christmas," "Happy New Year," "With Best Wishes," etc., may be enclosed without affecting its classification.

Registration of Packages.  
Be sure that all valuable letters and packages are registered, as the registry fee for each separate letter or parcel is only 10 cents in addition to the postage.

Any piece of mailable matter may be registered at any postoffice or station thereof and by any rural free delivery carrier.

Postcards.  
Cards bearing pictures of glass, metal, mica, sand, tinzel or other similar substances are inadmissible, except when enclosed in envelopes tightly sealed, to prevent the escape of such particles, or when treated in such manner as will prevent the objectionable substances from being rubbed off or injuring persons handling the mails.

Concealed Matter.  
Senders of packages at the third or fourth class rate (printed matter and merchandise) are warned against enclosing letters therein, as the offender would be liable to a fine of \$10.

Rates of Domestic Postage.  
Letters, two cents for each ounce or fraction thereof.  
Newspapers, one cent for each four ounces or fraction thereof.  
Books, printed matter, Christmas cards, etc., one cent for two ounces or fraction thereof (limit of weight four pounds, except that it be a single book).

Merchandise, one cent for each ounce or fraction thereof (limit of weight four pounds).

Foreign Rates of Postage.  
England, Ireland, Newfoundland, Scotland and Wales (Germany by direct steamers), rate for letters, two cents for each ounce or fraction thereof.

Other foreign countries (postal union), rate for letters, five cents for the first ounce and three cents for each additional ounce or fraction thereof.

Parcels Post.  
The United States has an agreement with many foreign countries whereby packages of merchandise may be sent to those countries by parcel post, and further information will be given by applying at the stamp department of the Norwich postoffice.

Mail Packages Early.  
Mail packages at the main office as early as possible to avoid the rush, so that the same will arrive at their destination on time.

### OPEN HOUSE PINOCHE.

J. E. Fitzgerald Holds Lead, Although Mikolasi Is Close.

Henry Malmer 7370, Louis Carpenter 7250 and Irving Drake 7020 were the three leaders in the scores made on Monday night at the third meeting of the Open House pinocle club, but E. B. Worthington was low man with 5440.

J. E. Fitzgerald held his lead in the standing on total points, which are as follows: J. E. Fitzgerald 19,690, E. Mikolasi 19,870, H. F. Burdick 19,460, C. Kristek 19,420, G. E. Leonard 10,560, Fred Moll 19,400, F. Bromann 18,920, Henry Malmer 18,890, S. Alofsin 18,860, C. H. Whaley 18,840, P. Tetreault 18,810, Irving Drake 18,720, Louis Carpenter 18,470, Henry Moll 18,500, Dr. N. B. Lewis 18,480, Joseph Leven 18,460, Earl Rogers 18,460, Michael Schwartz 18,030, E. B. Worthington 17,900, Francis Clish 17,890, E. G. Dygert 17,790, Louis Simon 17,640, E. Loomis 17,460, F. Maynard 17,340, Fred Klein 17,300, Summer Willard 17,060, S. Friedlander 16,720, S. McMonnies 16,690.

Summit.—The new gymnasium now in progress at the Connecticut Literary institution is progressing rapidly and the students are making plans to hold their annual reception in it the early part of February.

Children Cry  
FOR FLETCHER'S  
CASTORIA

### CAUSES CONSUMPTION

If you have catarrh, don't fool yourself into the belief that it is a harmless disease.

At least one-half of the consumption in the world can be traced to catarrh. Here are some symptoms of catarrh: If you have any of them get rid of them while there is yet time: Is your throat raw? Do you sneeze often? Is your breath foul? Are your eyes watery? Do you take cold easily? Is your nose stopped up? Do you have to spit often? Do cramps form in your nose? Do you blow your nose a great deal? Are you losing your sense of smell? Does your mouth taste bad morning?

Do you have to clear your throat on rising? Do you have a discharge from the nose? Does mucous drop in back of throat? Hyomel is guaranteed to cure catarrh, sore throat, coughs, colds, croup and bronchitis or money back. Just breathe it in. Complete outfit, including hard rubber inhaler, \$1.00. Extra bottles 50 cents. Leading druggists everywhere sell Hyomel. The Lee & Osgood Co. guarantees it.

Drop a postal for our free book. Booth's Famous People. Booth's Hyomel Co., Buffalo, N. Y.

## MI-ONA

Cures Indigestion

It relieves stomach misery, sour stomach, belching, and cures all stomach disease or money back. Large box of tablets 50 cents. Druggists in all towns.

## Incidents in Society

Steamer Caronia, with Mrs. L. L. Blackstone's board, reached Gibraltar on Tuesday.

Mrs. Robert A. Linn of Sussex, N. J., is the guest of her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. J. Lewis Smith of Broad street.

Mrs. Edmund Rice, who has been for several weeks a guest of Mrs. H. L. Yerrington, on Washington street, left on Tuesday for New York, on the way to Cincinnati.

Frank Edward Johnson sails on Thursday from New York for Cadiz, Spain. He expects to spend Christmas with the English consul at Barcelona, and will visit in the south of France during the winter.

Looking Over the Plans.  
It is stated by a man who seems to know that he is talking about that the plans for changes on the Central Vermont railway, having reference to the terminal at New London, were lately taken from the pigeonhole in which they had lain a considerable time, dusted over and are being considered with regard to the consummation of projected enterprises by the Grand Trunk.—New London Globe.

Books Rear of Elevator.  
Special lot of world's standard works. Cloth bound Books, gold leaf cover design, good clear type, all attractively boxed. Such titles as Self Raised, Uncle Tom's Cabin, Ibsen's, Tam Brown's School Days, Etc. \$1.00 editions, special 48c each.

See window display.

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## Art Needlework

Center Room.

For Christmas nothing is appreciated more truly by the recipient of the Christmas gift than something that has been made by hand, and shows that the donor has spent time, thought and consideration to its selection. A host of pretty things to embroider as well as hand finished novelties may be had in Art Goods section.

Useful Baskets, attractively trimmed, 25c to 50c.

Large assortment of handsome Renaissance Lace Tea Caddies, \$2.75 to \$5.

Large variety of attractive Pin Cushions, assorted colors, 25c to \$2.50.

## Red Cross Christmas Stamps

ON SALE HERE.

No need to tell Norwich people what they are, for Norwich last year was one of the most heavy supporters of the country of this excellent charity.

## The Reid & Hughes Co.

We Recover Furniture and de Carpet Laying.